

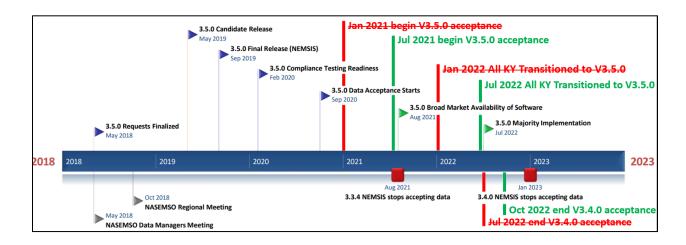
Memorandum

Date: February 11, 2021

To: All Services and ePCR Industry PartnersFrom: Drew Chandler, Data AdministratorRe: Updated NEMSIS 3.5 Transition Timeline

The Kentucky Board of Emergency Medical Services voted unanimously to adopt the Data Committee's revised recommendation for transitioning to NEMSIS Version 3.5 to meet regulatory compliance with <u>202 KAR 7:540</u> Section 4. The significant dates for Kentucky's ambulance services and software partners are:

- July 2021 KSTARS begins acceptance of Version 3.5 EMS records,
- June 2022 All agencies transitioned to Version 3.5,
- October 2022 KSTARS ceases acceptance of Version 3.4 EMS records.



Additional information about NEMSIS and Version 3.5 is available at nemsis.org. The website includes comprehensive <u>data dictionaries</u>, <u>software and compliance testing</u>, and <u>resources</u> for your service's chosen software partner.

We look forward to the improvements that come with the latest version of NEMSIS. Please view the <u>KSTARS page</u> on our website contact our office with any questions about this document through <u>support.kyems.com</u>.

